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## BAY HIGH BALLYHOO

Bay High's Tigers and Tigerettes played their first basketball game of the season on Friday, December 13, when they met Pass Christian's girls and boys in Bay High's gym.

The Tigerettes won by a score of 40-23. This large lead gave the second string a chance to play about half of the game.

### New Uniforms

The Bay High Tigerettes basketball team are very proud of the fact that they have six stunning new uniforms which arrived during the Christmas holidays. Of course they are gold trimmed in blue in observance of the school colors. Due to the scarcity of material, the uniforms are made of garbarding instead of satin; otherwise they are just like the old ones. Anyone attending the basketball games will see nineteen girls in blue and gold instead of the usual thirteen.

### Members of Bay High to Attend Play

The faculty and students of Bay High are invited to Perkins College to see the play, "Macbeth," by Shakespeare presented by the National Classic Theater of New York. There will be two performances, January 20 and 21 at 8 p. m. A large number from Bay High are planning to attend.

### Senior Rings

Look everybody. Aren't they beautiful? Gee, that stone sparkles so it hurts my eyes.

Yes, the senior rings are here at last. At the end of the first period, January 10, a notice was sent around to inform the seniors that their rings had arrived. Seniors dropped whatever they were doing, and made for their home room with glee on their faces. Everyone of them was so excited he could hardly get his ring on. From then on all you saw was hands waving in the air, and those beautiful stones sparkling.

They were rather amazed when they got the first glimpse of them, for they were even prettier than they were when they were ordered. The stone is blue with the school crest on top.

The reason they hadn't gotten sooner was of the importation of the stone from Germany. But, after all, the waiting was worth while. The cost of the rings was \$1,049.60. Forty-eight were ordered. The pins and necklaces were pretty, too.

Mrs. Curet, the senior sponsor, was presented a beautiful bracelet by the Senior Class.

### Boys' Chorus

Have you noticed how the boys around school have been crooning? Well, it's all Mrs. Smith's idea. Since she made the announcement in the auditorium on December 18, about the boys chorus, the boys haven't quit singing. So far, however, only seven boys have enrolled; but we have heard that more will be joining soon. Those who have come into the chorus are: Andy Gray, Tommy January, Grady Parker, Wilbert Adams, Rod Adams, Truman Schult, and Lukey Sciana.

### Home Economics Teacher

To Miss Gentile we wish to extend a cordial welcome as our Home Economics teacher.

After graduating from Gulfport High in 1940, she obtained a degree from Mississippi Southern majoring in Home Economics in 1944.

Miss Gentile has black hair, brown eyes, stands four feet ten and one-half inches, and weighs ninety-eight pounds—all of which makes her very attractive.

After teaching at Webb School here in Bay St. Louis, she taught nursing school in Biloxi, but this is her first time to teach Home Ec.

### Debate Team

Tryouts for debate teams were held Friday, January 10. Those chosen were Gay Curet and Betty Lusk, affirmative and Lorraine Lott and Martin Noto, negative. Judges for the tryouts were Mrs. C. C. McDonald, Mrs. C. G. Shows, and Mrs. Wm. R. Pitcairn. The debate team will participate in the Regional Debate Tournament held at Gulf Park College the first week in February.

### Home Economics Department Receives Washing Machine

The Home Economics girls have been working hard these past two months to get their department looking Spic and Span. On reward we aren't going to have to break our backs over a washing board for we are the proud owners of a new Bendix Automatic Washing Machine which is soon to be installed. We also have a new Hot Spot Electric stove that we received in the early fall.

### Bay Hi Boys and Girls Basketball Teams Bow to Picayune

The Bay Hi boys and girls visited Picayune last Friday night to meet a strong Picayune boys and girls basketball team. The Bay High boys' junior team was first to start and they met defeat by the score of 23

## NOTICE TO LITTLE THEATER PUBLIC

The following announcements will be of interest to all members of the Little Theater and to all who intend to become members in 1947.

On Monday night, January 20th, at eight o'clock at the Carroll Avenue Playhouse there will be a general meeting for the election of officers for 1947 and for the annual report. Since the proper selection of officers in an organization of this sort is particularly important, every member is urged to be present to join in the discussions and to cast his vote.

Because of the problem of heating the Playhouse, the 1947 season will not begin officially until February 24th, when its first play "Angel Street" (Gaslight) will enter rehearsal. "Angel Street," directed by Mrs. Adeline Knoblock, will be presented on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, March 27th, 28th and 29th. This three-act Victorian melodrama is the Little Theater's most ambitious work thus far, and should set an excellent standard for the 1947 season.

During 1947 six three-act plays will be presented between the months of March and November. All performances will be given on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights rather than on the first three nights of the week, as was the practice in 1946. The annual dues of five dollars are now payable to Mr. Richard Shadoin, Treasurer, Bay View Court, who, upon receipt of dues, will issue membership cards. A membership goal of three hundred has been set for the year. If this goal is reached, the only guest tickets available for any 1947 performance will be those for out-of-town visitors; since the Playhouse will seat only one hundred each night. First choice of a night for regular attendance will be given to the first one hundred to whom membership cards are issued. The Little Theater, in 1946 an experiment, is now by popular approval an established part of Bay St. Louis and Waveland life, and will try to bring to local audiences during this year the best and the best-known plays it is equipped to produce.

to 17 in a rough and tough game. The Bay Hi girls varsity team was next to take the count. The girls got off to a wonderful start, and in the first half proved to be more than a match for the Picayune team. During the second half the Bay Hi girls kept a seven or eight point lead over the Maroons and until the last three minutes of play had the game chalked up as another victory. This period was one in which everything happens for the worst and Picayune won by the score of 28 to 26.

The boys varsity went on next in a thrilling game lost by the score of 36 to 18.

### Bay High Basketball Teams Meet Orange Grove

The Bay High boys and girls split a basketball doubleheader Tuesday night when Orange Grove played host to the Tigers.

The girls game which was a low scoring affair, found the Tigerettes on top at the finale with a score of 17 to 15.

The night cap of the doubleheader ended with Orange Grove trouncing Bay Hi boys by the score of 45 to 12. Orange Grove had too much for our local quintet, and Bay High lost to one of the best teams of this region.

### Band Presents Program in Assembly

The regular assembly program at Bay High on Wednesday, presented the Bay High Band in a small concert. The numbers presented were: 1. Waves; 2. The Klaxon; 3. Vogue Overtones; 4. Etude in Boogie and Big Time Boogie. The feature of the program was Etude in Boogie, a piano solo by Temple Perkins, a student of Mrs. Carl Smith, accompanied by the band. Miss Mary Perkins, the principal of the Waveland School and the newly organized Waveland band attended.

The Bay High Band will participate in the parade Friday afternoon, which will be given to advertise the concert to be given in the S. J. A. gymnasium by the Columbia High School Band that night.

### Tournament at D'Iberville

On Thursday, January 16, Bay High's Basketball team will play in an invitational tournament at D'Iberville. They will play Catholic High from Pascagoula.

### Bay High to Play Dedeaux

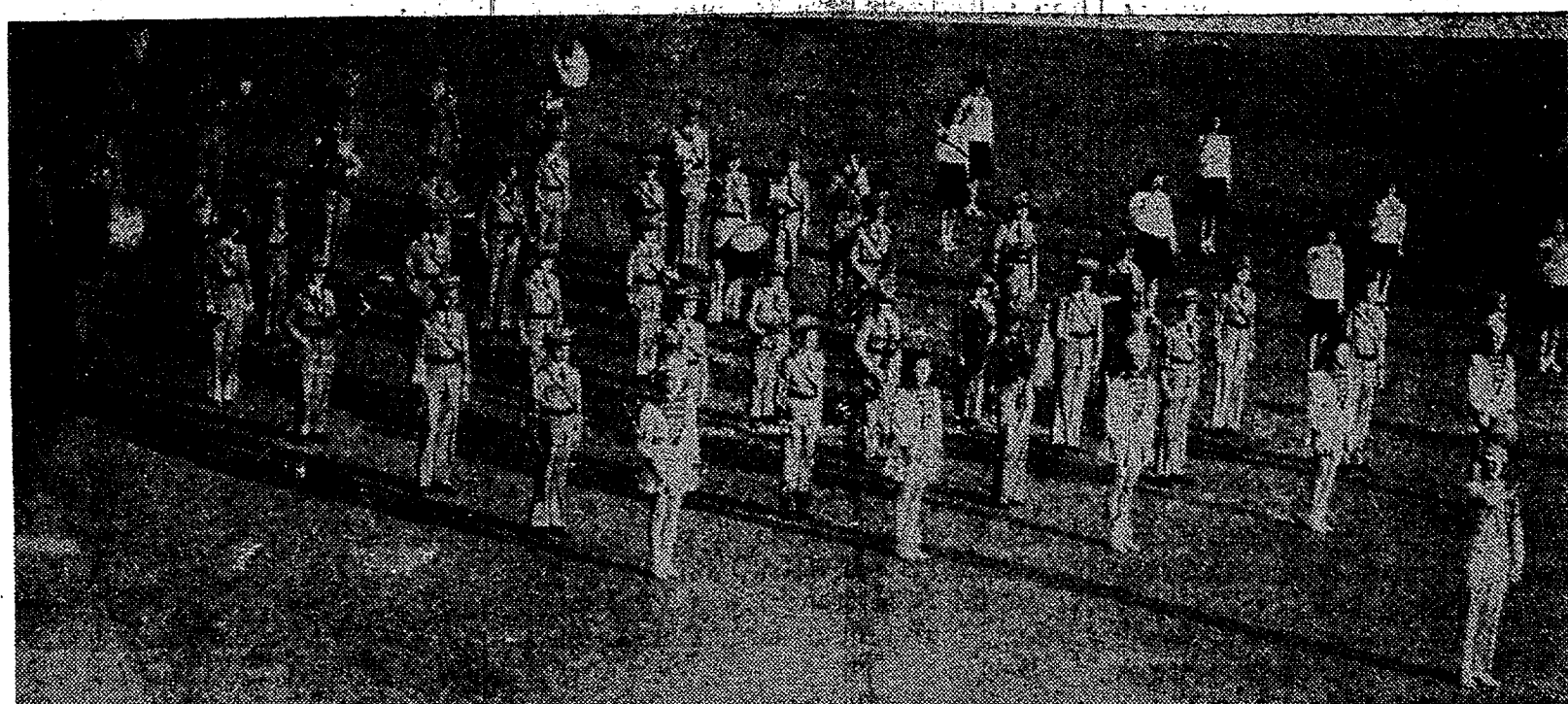
Bay High and Dedeaux basketball teams will compete against each other January 21 in the Bay Hi gym.

### Bay High Cagers Meet Dedeaux

On Tuesday night, January 21, the Bay High Cagers meet Dedeaux in a twin bill, featuring boys' and girls' teams, that promises to be a thriller. On Friday the 24 the locals meet St. Joseph of Pass Christian here in another double header.

For this week end, January 18, 17 and 18, the Tigers journey to D'Iberville to enter an invitational tournament.

## COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL BAND, COLUMBIA, MISS.



## COLUMBIA HIGH BAND TO GIVE CONCERT TONIGHT, FRIDAY, JAN. 17TH at 7:45

### Parade To Precede Concert; Supper and Reception For Visitors

This is a picture of the Columbia High School Band which will appear in concert (tonight) Friday, January 17 at 7:45 o'clock in the auditorium of St. Joseph's Academy. This will be the second appearance of this band in Bay St. Louis. The St. Stanislaus Music Department is sponsoring this program as an exchange of concerts between the two school bands. The St. Stanislaus Band will go to Columbia to return the concert in the near future.

Mr. Lane, the Director of the visiting band, is well known for developing a fine school band. Last year he brought his band here and presented a program which was well worth while. The Columbia Band this year has a much larger personnel. There are fifty in the concert band. Several of the students received Superior ratings at the State Band Contests and State Band Clinics. The program which this band will give tonight varies from the classic to the "boogie-woogie." There will be novelty selections too. If you do not attend this concert you are missing a fine evening's entertainment.

The visiting band will arrive at 4:00 p. m. at about 4:30 the Columbia Band will lead the parade of three bands through the main streets of Bay St. Louis. There will be plenty of color to this parade and we would like to see a large crowd on the streets to witness the parade. The officers of the Stanislaus Band have worked hard to give the Columbians the finest reception they ever had. Wouldn't it be a fine gesture to the visitors if we would pack the auditorium and thereby show them that the people of Bay St. Louis are supporters of school band activities.

## Unit of Cancer Control Society To Be Organized In Hancock County

Dr. Emma Gay, publicity chairman for the Biloxi unit of the American Cancer Society, will be in Bay St. Louis on Wednesday, January 22, at the office of Dr. C. M. Shipp at 3 p. m. for the purpose of organizing a Hancock County unit of the Cancer Control Society. All doctors, nurses and interested citizens are welcome to attend this meeting. Unless a local unit is organized funds collected here go to the state and money is needed here for the control of this fatal disease. Let's rally to the cause of fighting the cancer enemy to humanity and come to this meeting Wednesday, January 22 at 3 p. m. in Dr. Shipp's office in the City Hall.

## Womans Society Christian Service To Meet

The Womans Society of Christian Service of the Main Street Methodist Church will meet on Tuesday, January 21, at the home of Mrs. A. C. Exnicios, 506 North Beach at 3 o'clock. Mrs. H. K. Holderith and Miss Josie Miller will be co-hostesses.

## Meeting of Rebels

At the meeting of The Rebels, held Monday night, January 13th at the home of Miss Elsie Mauffray, plans were formulated to give a dance, jointly with young ladies of the Gulfport organization, in Gulfport. The exact date of the dance to be given at the next meeting.

## PARITY ENJOINED

A party was given at the home of Miss Mattie Riggs—Saturday night honoring her week end guest from Pascagoula, Miss Janice Gentile. The following girls and boys were present: Ethel Schindler, Sanford Green, Inez Kingston, Wally Palsoni, Joyce Peterson, Alfred Gibson, Ileana Luker, Algerine Riggs, Raymond Schindler, Valerie Thomas, Irvin Kingston, Mattie Riggs, Pat Patterson, Janice Gentile, Leo Taconi, Patsy Ferrara, C. Estapa, Flora Taconi, Sammy Peterson, Marcella Kingston, Joe Caplepon and Myra Peterson.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ACTIVITIES

### FIRST GENERAL MEETING OF 1947

The first general meeting of the Hancock County Chamber of Commerce was held on Thursday, January 9th, at 8:00 p. m., with approximately 75 per cent of the membership in attendance. The annual report of the activities and accomplishments of the association were given by President Russell and it was agreed by all present, that this report alone showed that your Chamber of Commerce is definitely going ahead. It was also decided that for the Fiscal Year the organization should have one certain project to work on and to conclude during this year that will be beneficial to the entire community and in line with this decision, each member will be polled for their suggestion as to the most necessary project that can be concluded during 1947. We would also like to hear from any citizen of the County as to their views in the matter and, anyone interested in voicing their opinion or suggestions should direct their communications to this Chamber.

At the conclusion of the meeting all of the members were served shrimp and refreshments which was enjoyed by the entire gathering.

## MEMPHIS BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

Advice comes from Doc Prothro manager of the Memphis Chicks that they definitely will have their spring training here in Bay St. Louis. Manager Prothro is due here with several officers on or about February 1st to inspect the grounds as well as conclude arrangements for the players. In the latter part of February he will bring down his pitching and catching staff and on March 3rd the entire squad will arrive to begin training.

Just as soon as weather permits, work will begin on getting the field in shape and it is hoped to have everything completed on the teams arrival.

We say welcome to Doc Prothro and his entire organization and will be glad to have them drop into our office at anytime after their arrival.

## BAY-WAVELAND GARDEN CLUB

We noted in this paper's edition of Friday, January, 10th, that the Bay-Waveland Garden Club, headed by Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab had appointed a committee composed of Mrs. Seal, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Mogabgab to contact the Chamber of Commerce and enlist their aid in the launching of a clean up campaign.

Again we say, The Chamber of Commerce is here solely for the benefit of the County and, by letter to Mrs. Mogabgab we are backing her club's project 100%.

## COLUMBIA HIGH SCHOOL BAND

The Columbia High School Band will be in our midst to hold a concert on Friday night, January 17th, at 7:45 p. m. in the S. J. A. auditorium. They are expected to arrive approximately at 3:30 p. m. and at 4:00 p. m. in conjunction with the Bay High School and St. Stanislaus bands will parade through the business district of the city.

To make this a gala event and to show our appreciation to our visitors, the Chamber of Commerce, through the cooperation of the merchants in displaying the American Flag at their place of business. Let's make this visit of the Columbia Band as colorful as we possibly can.

## To Attend Southern Agriculture Convention

With agricultural representatives of eleven southern states on hand, the Southern Agriculture Convention gets underway Wednesday afternoon in Biloxi.

Mr. C. C. Stone, County Agent, and Miss Annie Lois May, Home Agent, plan to attend from Hancock County.

Mr. Stone is on the program to put on a demonstration in farm building and will show the different steps in remodeling a farm home. Mr. Stone had previously given this demonstration in Jackson, and it was so well received that he was asked to give it at this meeting.

## BOY SCOUTS AND CUBS SUPPER AND COURT OF AWARDS JANUARY 22

An evening of pleasure and entertainment to Scouts, Cubs and Parents and friends of these boys, has been planned for Wednesday, January 22 when a Supper and Court of Awards will be held at the Reed Hotel at 7:30 P. M.

The Bay-Pass Christian District Chairman, Mr. Octave Delph has announced that boys from Troops 208 and 217 of Bay St. Louis and Troop 216 of Pass Christian will receive their awards and merit badges and veteran scouts will receive service pins.

Mr. Ross Schenk, field representative of the New Orleans Area, Boy Scouts of America, who will be accompanied by a Scout Executive, both of New Orleans, will be present.

This is to be a very outstanding affair for the cubs and scouts, and all parents are urged to help make the evening a success by accompanying their sons or sons. Give them the pleasure of your being there when they receive the awards, for which they have worked so diligently. You will enjoy the interesting program that has been prepared for you. The price of the supper will be \$1.00 per person, contact Mr. Delph or any of the men interested in scouting to purchase tickets.

Don't forget the date, January 22, Reed Hotel, 7:30 p. m. and make reservations now. Tickets may also be secured from Mr. H. W. LeTissier, at Hotel Reed.

## W. B. A. HAS BUSINESS MEETING

The January business meeting of the Womans Benefit Association was held Monday evening, January 13, at the home of Mrs. Annie Trapani, with Mrs. Nellie Nelson, newly installed president, in the chair.

The first Monday of each month was the time decided for the monthly meetings. It was also stated that the Girl Scout House, on Second street would be the official meeting place, upon completion of the repairs (now being made) on the scout house.

A number of committees were appointed, new members installed and a donation of \$5 voted on for the Infantile Paralysis Drive. A box of candy, donated by Mrs. Trapani, was raffled and won by Mrs. Aug. Scadiff. It was announced that who ever won the prize, was obligated to donate a prize for the next month.

Plans were formulated for a Carnival Ball, to be given in February, the exact date to be announced later. This entertainment is for the members only. There being no further business, the meeting closed, followed by a social hour.

## Piano Recital

The concert or piano recital given on Sunday afternoon by John Dupiquier at the home of his instructress, Mrs. Louis Pate and under her direction was quite a success and was well attended by his many admirers and friends. The program of music was the same as the concert given by him on December 9 and was given at the request of his many friends who were unable to be present at the December recital.

The major number was the Fifth Symphony and to which Mrs. Pate played second to Mr. Dupiquier and this brought much applause. Mrs. Pate's home was decorated in green foliage and red berries, tall baskets filled with Yupon forming the background where the performance was given. Receiving with her were Mrs. Walter Dupiquier, Mrs. Louis Mogabgab, Miss May H. Edwards and the tea girls were Alice Dupiquier, Kinta Kergosien, Karen Kergosien and Mary Helen Curran. They were prettily dressed in floor length dresses. They also gave you the personally signed programs.

## Injured in Auto Accident

Mrs. E. N. Spence suffered severe bruises of the body on Saturday when her car skidded on Waveland Beach near Coleman avenue. Mrs. Spence was driving alone at the time of the accident.

## ALTAR SOCIETY MEETING

At the first meeting of 1947 of the Altar Society of Our Lady of the Gulf Church, held at the Rectory on Wednesday afternoon, the President, Mrs. Chas. Zerr, stated the membership drive was on and requested all members present to endeavor for an increase from 259 members to 300 members. It was decided to mail cards to members and urgently request their joining this year of 1947, the Centennial year of the Church, and to endeavor to interest every Catholic Woman in the parish to become a member and work toward the completion of the church's interior and exterior unfinished parts. Splendid results were accomplished by the few active members in the organization and with the cooperation of its many generous sustaining members, but for a successful planning and carrying out of this year's business, the organization would be greatly aided by a greater membership and better attendance of the monthly meetings.

## March of Dimes Campaign To Start January 15th And Continue Through Jan. 30th

A call for all Hancock Countians to wholeheartedly support the March of Dimes Program from January 15th to the 30th was issued here this week by Miss Stella Gex, Volunteer Chairman of the County Drive.

The chairman, Miss Gex, appointed to serve in the local area recently by Dr. Felix J. Underwood, State Chairman, emphasized that 50% of the funds collected would be spent locally to combat the dreaded infantile paralysis. The National Foundation supplies the needed area with necessary funds, and Mississippi has drawn heavily upon the National fund since it has had more cases than many states.

"Mississippi had over 340 cases of infantile paralysis last year," the Chairman said, "and our County had over 4 cases. It costs approximately \$1200 to treat each of these cases. Therefore it behooves each of us to give generously in order that children stricken with infantile paralysis can be adequately treated."

"We will try to see as many people as possible during the drive, but we urge you not to wait until called upon. You can simply mail your contribution to the March of Dimes, in care of our address."

"Remember, every contribution is needed, from the smallest to the largest. Our County must make a good record in this campaign. The gift you make may come back to you ten-fold, either in helping your own child, or someone else's child."

Meanwhile, it was announced that several special events to raise funds were planned over the County during the month.

## Methodists Broadcast

Three Methodist inspired radio programs are being heard in Hancock County this month. The regular 11 a. m. Sunday services of the First Methodist Church, Gulfport, are being broadcast over W. G. C. M., during January with Dr. Henry M. Bullock, the Pastor, preaching on the general theme of stewardship.

Also on Sunday morning, until March 31st, The Methodist Hour, a Southern Religious Radio Conference program featuring President Humphrey Lee of Southern Methodist University (next Sunday), Bishop W. C. Martin (Jan. 26), and other Methodist notables, may be heard at 7:30 over station W. D. S. U., New Orleans.

A third Methodist sponsored program will feature a five-minute human interest story on some phase of stewardship. This program may be heard at 10:30 p. m. Monday through Friday over W. G. C. M.

## Evander Henry Russ Dies At Picayune

Evander Henry Russ died at Picayune on Friday, January 10 and his funeral was held on Saturday, January 11 from the McDonald Funeral Home in Picayune with the Rev. I. H. Sells, pastor of the Picayune Methodist church officiating. Interment was in the family cemetery at Pass Christian.

Mr. Russ was 71 years of age and was a native of Logtown. He was a member of the Methodist church and of the Woodmen of the World.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Etta Elizabeth Seal Russ, Picayune; two sons, J. E. Russ, Picayune and J. A. Russ, New Orleans, and seven brothers and sisters, Charles Russ, of Gulfport, Mr. Ann Hutchinson, Horace Russ, Robert Russ and Daisy Russ, all of New Orleans; John Russ, Bogalusa, and Daniel Russ, New York City.

## Graduate

Among the graduates of Mississippi State College on Monday of this week were C. C. McDonald, Jr., from the school of Engineering and Elliott Coward from the school of business Administration.

These young men like many others had their education interrupted during the war and have made the grade against war time odds.

## CAMELLIA SHOW OF BAY-WAVELAND GARDEN CLUB

Mrs. Wilson Wittlesberger won the grand prize at the Camellia show which was sponsored by the Bay-Waveland Garden Club on Thursday, January 9 at the home of Mrs. Wittlesberger. The grand prize is awarded to the person capturing the greatest number of blue ribbons. Other awards were Mixed Arrangements: Mrs. Wittlesberger, blue ribbon; Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, red ribbon; Spicimen: Mrs. Wittlesberger, blue, red, and white; One Variety: Mrs. G. H. Williams, blue; Mrs. Max Kohler red and white; plate of three flowers Mrs. Mogabgab, blue and red; Mrs. Wittlesberger, white.

Exhibits of Camellias were limited to club members only and the display showed some exquisite flowers all of which were raised in private gardens.

Mrs. Wittlesberger had as her co-hostesses Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, Mrs. A. J. Tognotti and Mrs. A. C. Exnicios.

Preceding the opening of the Camellia exhibit the regular business session was held with the president, Mrs. Mogabgab presiding. A rising vote of thanks was given the Year Book Committee for the splendid work done on the Year Book. The club voted to donate \$25.00 to the March of Dimes.

From a lace covered table centered with a long tray of Camellias Mrs. N. L. Carter poured coffee and Mrs. Leo W. Seal poured tea.

The Camellia Show was in charge of Mrs. L. T. Boyd and her committee Mesdames P. J. Truettel, A. O. Drescher, H. A. Oxenham, H. G. Williams and Max Kohler. Judges were Mrs. Norman Rau, New Orleans, Mrs. James McCannell, Waveland and Mrs. S. G. Thigpen, of Picayune.

Guests of the club were Mesdames D. L. Tonkel, H. M. Revell, T. T. Robin, N. C. Irvin, J. H. Weston, D. M. Domy and Mrs. S. G. Thigpen of Picayune.

## MRS. LEWIS HENDERSON SPEAKER AT P-T. A. MEETING

Mrs. Lewis Henderson was the speaker at the January meeting of the Central School P-T. A. and spoke on honesty and dishonesty in preschool and school age children.

Mrs. Henderson termed lying as one phase of dishonesty and gave several reasons why children lie—for recognition, to build up self esteem, in imitation. Parents, Mrs. Henderson said, take honesty in children for granted but these habits early detected can be corrected. She upset the old belief that lying and honesty are synonymous for the fault of one is often evident. She brought out the fault of dishonesty in children regarding money and the property of others and gave a probable reason for stealing as jealousy, revenge and excitement. She warned against parents forcing a denial from children and in that way the wrong of the theft is added to a lie. There was a great deal of food for thought in Mrs. Henderson's handling of the subject which is part of the Year's program on Character Building.

The P. T. A. voted to give \$25.00 to the March of Dimes and Mrs. Leo Seal and Mrs. T. T. Robin were named on a committee to look into the matter of repairing and reinforcing the concrete benches on the school yard or the advisability of purchasing new ones.

The second grade won the attendance award with fifteen parents and friends present.

Mrs. Albert Biehl, president presided at the meeting which was opened with prayer.

## M. B. McCarley Named Baton Rouge Postmaster

The Baton Rouge Advocate of January 11 carries a story which is reproduced in part here: "Murray B. McCarley's nomination as local postmaster was expected to be O. K. without opposition as President Truman sent the Baton Rougean's name to the senate yesterday for confirmation."

McCarley who has been an internal revenue agent at Baton Rouge since December 1936 was one of three placed on the eligibility list following civil service examinations taken several years ago.

"The new nominee for postmaster is originally from Mississippi and in 1923 came from Texas to live in Gulfport. Ten years later he entered the U. S. Forest Service and in 1935 became a revenue agent in New Orleans. He came to Baton Rouge the next year and for some years was the only revenue agent permanently assigned here."

Mr. McCarley is well known here as he married Miss Nell Tyler of this city and they have visited here often. They now live at 404 Buckner Drive, Baton Rouge. They have three sons, M. B. McCarley, Jr., a CPA in New Orleans, Brother Marion (Tyler McCarley) who was an instructor at St. Stanislaus for several years and who is now teaching in Monrovia and Gordon who lives with his wife and child at 324 Buckner Drive.



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## BILBO'S DRUMHEAD TRIAL

(From the Boston Herald of January 6, 1947)

YOU can hate "The Man" with all the righteous hatred of demagoguery, bigotry, and cheap ignorance, but you cannot summarily deprive him of his rights without also doing grave violence to the very decencies he has himself attempted to tear down. The Senate's exhibition over Theodore G. Bilbo does no credit to it, nor does it promote the principle of government by laws and not by men.

Prof. Zechariah Chafee, Jr., of the Harvard Law School, in a thoughtful letter in the Mail Bag, deprecates the move to refuse Bilbo a seat as a dangerous practice against which Senator Hoar once warned. The more emotional haters of Bilbo will regard this as legalistic hair-splitting, and much too good for the Mississippi. But in the careful observance of our democratic guarantees for even the most unworthy lies the freedom of all of us.

The Senate undertook its action Friday on the basis of the reports of two committees—Campaign Expenditures and War Investigating. The first concerned his intimidation of Negro voters and the other his use of his high office "for his personal gain in his dealings with war contractors." Under the Constitutional provision that the Senate "shall be the judge of the election returns and qualifications of its own Members," the intimidation charge, if formally confirmed, could be a basis for the exclusion of Bilbo on a mere majority vote. But on this matter the majority report of the committees found no basis for the charges. Only the minority held him guilty.

This was, of course, a whitewash by Chairman Ellender, of Louisiana, one of the pro-Bilbo leaders. The Senate would most certainly reverse it in any formal consideration. But there had been none, and the Bilbo exclusion move came on a committee election report finding him guilty.

As for the bribery findings, these do not concern "election returns and qualifications" under the clear meaning of the Constitution. They are properly matters for expulsion by a two-thirds vote after a free opportunity for debate, not for peremptory exclusion at the door on a majority vote.

This does not mean that the filibustering Southerners were exactly on the side of the angels. In their battle to get 1 Senator seated they prevented 35 other Senators from being sworn in, not to mention tying up Congress and presenting a sorry picture of democracy in action to the rest of the world.

The departure of Bilbo to the hospital has temporarily suspended the issue. He is technically neither excluded nor admitted. But in effect he has been deprived for the time being of his seat, by a process of summary justice that is, as Professor Chafee says, unpleasantly like lynch law, and Mississippi has lost half of its senatorial representation.

Attempts by the North at compulsory reformation of the South are likely to have the reverse effect. Bilbo was the worst possible symbol of Senate's rights for his fellow Southerners to champion, but most of them rallied to his side. This revival of the Civil War might have been avoided by a more considered attack.

## THE MAIL BAG A Plea Against Lynching Bilbo

To the Editor of the Herald:

LITTLE as I like Mr. Bilbo, of Mississippi, I believe that the Senate Republicans are doing him a grave injustice in trying to stop him at the door. Assume that the charges against him, if properly proved, are a sufficient ground for disqualifying him by a majority vote—this is certain as to the charges of intimidating Negroes, although there is considerable doubt whether the better-supported charge of receiving money from war contractors does not have to be established by the two-thirds vote required by the Constitution for expulsion (art. 1 sec. 5). My only point now is that the effect to disqualify Bilbo before he takes the oath violates well-considered precedents of the Senate.

When the eligibility of Senator Smoot, of Utah, was contested on March 5, 1903, on a charge of polygamy, Senator Hoar of Massachusetts, said:

"The orderly and constitutional method of procedure in regard to administering the oath to newly elected Senators (is) that when any gentleman \* \* \* presents \* \* \* a certificate of his due election from the executive of his State"—which Bilbo has done—"he is entitled to be sworn in, and all questions relating to his qualification shall be postponed and acted upon by the Senate afterward. \* \* \* (Otherwise) a third of the Senate might be kept out of their seats for an indefinite time on the presenting of objection, without responsibility. \* \* \* (Consequently) a change in the political power of this Government which the people desired to accomplish would be indefinitely postponed."

No Senator questioned this statement. The same day Mr. Smoot took the oath of office. The committee investigating his election reported in June 1906 that Smoot was not entitled to a seat, but this report was rejected by the Senate on February 20, 1907. During the intervening 4 years, Senator Smoot voted with the other Senators, except that he did not vote on questions concerning his own eligibility. Webb and Pierce, "Senate election case" (1913), at pp. 929, 930; see also 1227.

Senator Taft claims that there are precedents the other way, but they are not supported by thoughtful reasons like Senator Hoar's. The Smoot case has governed most subsequent cases of contested Senators, including the famous case of Newberry, who was elected from Michigan in 1918.

The present disregard of this practice of letting the contested Senator take his seat provisionally comes with very bad grace from the Republican Party, which took full advantage of it in the case of Newberry, a Republican. He was allowed to sit, although his election was immediately contested by Henry Ford (the opposing Democratic candidate); Newberry's vote for the Republicans helped greatly in keeping the United States out of the League of Nations; subsequently after several years of usefulness to the Republicans in a closely divided Senate, he was disqualified for erroneous expenditures in the primary.

The Massachusetts legislative practice conforms to Senate practice in the cases of Smoot, Newberry, and others. Cushing, "Reports on Contested Elections to Massachusetts House" (1859), pp. 474, 153 note; compare p. 439. The strongest precedent known to me for the present contrary position of the Republican Senators was furnished by Rhode Island Democrats. On January 1, 1935, they barred two duly certified Republican State Senators at the door (like Bilbo), thus getting a bare Democratic majority of the Senate, which was immediately used to throw almost everybody in reach out of office, including the whole Supreme Court of Rhode Island. This striking illustration of the validity of Senator Hoar's reasoning against "stopping at the door" is hardly a precedent for Senator Taft to cite with enthusiasm.

A decision on Bilbo need not be delayed for years, like the decisions about Smoot and Newberry. After Bilbo has been allowed to take the oath and has been provisionally seated in accordance with the well-considered practice of the Senate, there

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Half-horse power motor and two good auto tires, 650x16, Telephone 573-W. 401 Citizen St. 1/17/1chg.

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KITCHEN Table and Four Chairs, 3 Wool Suits, size 32; 18-in. Lawn Mower, Meat Slicer; all reasonable. Phone 333-W. 1/17/1tp.

is no reason why the question of unseating him should not be brought before the Senate as soon as the orderly conduct of business permits and the disposition of more pressing matters, such as legislation on portal-to-portal claims. Whatever charges are now prematurely urged to bar Bilbo at the door will be just as persuasive to bar him later, after he has had the usual trial before the Senate.

The Bilbo case touches a sensitive spot in several States in the South, and it is very important that it should be handled with scrupulous respect for established precedents. Every effort should be made not to offer Bilbo's supporters any excuse for hailing him as a martyr to injustice.

Give Bilbo a fair and regular trial, and then deal with him as he deserves. The opponents of Bilbo and lynching ought not to lynch Bilbo.

Zechariah Chafee, Jr.

Editor's Note—The Editorial of the Boston Herald and the letter of Dr. Chafee, quoted above were extended in the Journal of the United States Senate, under the remarks of Senator Hoey of North Carolina. We are glad to see that some of our friends in the North do not hold to the stand taken by the Republicans and Northern Democrats in the Senate as to the barring of the Senior Senator from Mississippi, without a hearing.

## REPORT OF CONDITION OF MERCHANTS BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Of Bay St. Louis, in the State of Mississippi at the close of business on 12/31/1946.

**ASSETS**  
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection ..... \$334,900.07  
United States Government obligations, direct ..... 445,000.00  
and guaranteed ..... 390,176.70  
Obligations of States and political subdivisions ..... 547,065.58  
Loans and discounts (including \$1074.50 overdrafts) ..... 11,792.22  
Bank premises owned \$8176.35, furniture and fixtures \$3615.87 ..... 1,728,924.57  
**TOTAL ASSETS** ..... 1,728,924.57

**LIABILITIES**  
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations ..... 829,124.55  
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations ..... 703,402.21  
Deposits of States and political subdivisions ..... 86,928.50  
**TOTAL DEPOSITS** ..... \$1,619,455.26  
Other Liabilities ..... 3,500.00

**TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)** ..... 1,622,955.26

**CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**  
Capital ..... 35,000.00  
Surplus ..... 70,000.00  
Undivided profits ..... 969.31

**TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** ..... 105,969.31

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS** ..... 1,728,924.57

\*This bank's capital consists of:  
Common stock with total par value of ..... \$35,000.00

**MEMORANDA**  
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes ..... 100,000.00

I, Joe B. Burrow, Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest:  
JOE B. BURROW, Cashier.  
EMILIO CUE, W. J. GEX, JR., ROBERT L. CAMORS, Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, County of Hancock

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of January, 1947, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

LUCIEN M. GEX, Notary Public.  
(SEAL)  
My commission expires Jan. 24, 1949.

## RED CROSS NOTES

All members of the Executive Board are requested to attend the breakfast at the Reed Hotel on Wednesday, January 22nd at 8 a. m. At this time the regular meeting of the Hancock County Chapter of the Executive Board will be held.

Miss Les Edmonds, Junior Red Cross Field Representative, will visit the local chapter on January 20th and 21st. Miss Edmonds will meet with Mrs. A. Dreher, local Junior Red Cross Chairman and School Administrators, Teachers and Junior Red Cross workers to plan Service Activities for the schools.

On January 16th, thirty veterans of the Gulfport Veterans Hospital were guests in Bay St. Louis. While here these gentlemen were served the delicious pies by the ladies of the Woman's Society of Christian Service and coffee by the Red Cross Canteen, it was stated by Mrs. Leo Seal, chairman of Volunteer Special Service. Mrs. Seal also announced that on

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
To Helen Elizabeth Ryan Yarborough, being now Mrs. George W. Green.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1947, to answer the petition in cause No. 4726 in said Court of Elvie Clifford Yarborough, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 16th day of January, A. D. 1947.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

## CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
To Ernestine Alexander Betts.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Fourth Monday of February, A. D. 1947, to defend the suit No. 5246 in said Court of Fred Betts, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 16th day of January, A. D. 1947.

(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk.

## FOR SALE

KROLL Baby Buggy—A-1 condition. Phone 167-W, Waveland, Miss. 1/17/1tp.

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February 11th, thirty other veterans of the Gulfport Veterans' Hospital will be entertained by the ladies of the Episcopal Guild in the Episcopal Parish House.

A Fund Raising Conference for Chapters of this section of Mississippi will be held in Hattiesburg on Monday, January 20th. At this conference, plans for the 1947 Fund Campaign will be outlined. Emphasis will be stressed not only on increasing Red Cross program for Service to Veterans Disaster Preparedness and Relief but also for meeting of other needs common to Red Cross Service.

Mr. Roger Boh, Hancock County Chairman, Mr. Joseph Kern, 1947 Fund Campaign Chairman and other Red Cross Workers will attend this meeting.

Pruning and training of muscadine grape vines are important in obtaining high yields of top-quality fruit.

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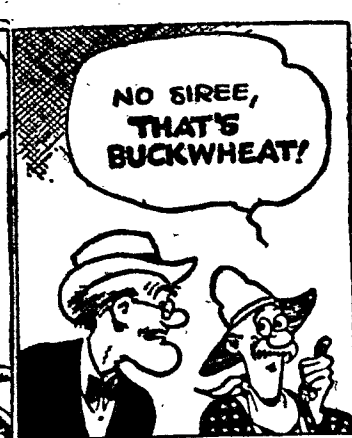
## Bay High Boxers In Serious Training

Coach August Scafid announces that his ring squad, 25 strong, is really serious this year and expect to put up stiff competition for all comers. With veterans from last mines, La., for a set-to.

year's team back in harness and several promising new-comers who can tip the scales at 175, the prospects are bright indeed. On Thursday, January 23, the boys travel to Biloxi to meet the Indians and on January 31 they go to Plaquemine. With veterans from last mines, La., for a set-to.

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## CITY FUND

Alphonse Adams, salary	\$104.00
Philip Adams, Salary	120.00
Fred Banderet, Salary	125.00
Rene Bernond, Salary	104.00
G. Y. Blaise, Mayor Salary	300.00
W. L. Bourgeois, Com. Salary	300.00
H. Grady Perkins, Com. Salary	300.00
Philip Weber, Salary	104.00
Gus Temple, Church clock keeper salary	15.00
Gex & Gex, City Attorneys	106.00
Aetna Life Insurance Co., Monthly insurance	55.23
Lamar Life Insurance Co., Monthly insurance	34.79
Mississippi Power Co., all lights	488.63
Southern Bell Tel. Co., Telephone service	14.99
Natural Gas Division, gas service	32.80
Mauffray's Hardware Store, Material and Supplies	19.79
Gulf Coast Oil Co., gas and oil	46.86
Arceneaux Super Service, labor, gas and oil	84.80
Gulf Chevrolet Company, gas and oil	61.96
Radio and Electric Service, Material and supplies	88.32
Mississippi Municipal Association, 1947 dues	60.00
W. A. McDonald and Sons, Material & Supplies	1.20
W. L. Bourgeois, Stamps, Freight, Express	28.90

## SCHOOL FUND

Teachers' Salaries—	
C. E. Ashcraft	145.00
Julia Blaise	180.00
Mrs. George Curet	155.00
Florence E. Dixon	114.75
Melba J. Donald	150.00
A. B. Dubuison	165.00
Mrs. A. B. Dubuison	150.00
Dorothy Gentile	37.50
Mrs. Iris C. Hobbs	135.00
S. J. Ingram	300.00
Mrs. W. W. James	101.25
Mary Kittrell	150.00
Mrs. Lauren Lacoste	135.00
Alma Parker	135.00
Mrs. Norma Perkins	150.00
G. F. Rooney	210.00
Pauline A. Russ, (part time)	33.75
Luvonia Saucier	145.00
George E. Schilling	30.00
C. G. Shows	266.66

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF HANCOCK BANK

of Bay St. Louis, Gulfport and Pass Christian, in the State of Mississippi, at the close of business on 12/31/46.

## ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances and cash items in process of collection	\$1,914,657.62
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	6,028,201.88
Obligations of States and Political subdivisions	4,940,938.06
Other bonds, notes and debentures	604,424.50
Corporate stocks (including \$None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	34,219.19
Loans and discounts (including \$6,451.70 overdrafts)	1,395,523.01
Bank premises owned \$65,526.29, furniture and fixtures \$30,073.00	95,599.29
Real Estate owned other than bank premises	5.00
Other assets	2,352.23

## TOTAL ASSETS

15,015,920.78

## LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	7,628,123.04
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,749,533.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	229,493.07
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	624,199.00
Deposits of Banks	7,095.34
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	137,753.87

## TOTAL DEPOSITS

14,376,197.32

## CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital	290,000.00
Surplus	340,000.00
Undivided profits	1,823.46
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	7,900.00

## TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

639,723.46

## TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

15,015,920.78

\*This bank's capital consists of:  
First preferred stock with total par value of \$230,000.00, total refundable value \$230,000.00  
Common stock with total par value \$60,000.00

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 1,625,500.00

I, Leo W. Seal, President, of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest:  
L. P. SWEATT  
J. W. MILNER } Directors  
CARL MARSHALL

State of Mississippi, County of Hancock.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of January, 1947, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
(SEAL) DAN M. RUSSELL, JR., Notary Public  
My commission expires November 30, 1949.

Mrs. C. G. Shows	115.00
Mrs. Bracie C. Smith	200.00
Mrs. Carl Smith	125.00
Mrs. Jewel W. Smith	150.00
Carmelite Spotorno	145.00
Mrs. W. W. Stockstill	140.00
Mrs. Eva W. Vaughan	112.50
Mrs. Ethel Zingarling	135.00
Zenobia Clayton	90.00
Ethel Edwards	90.00
A. A. Gaston	140.00
Lucy Godine	77.50
Helen Holmes	70.00
Gertie Nero	80.00
Mrs. Flora Capdepon, janitress salary	70.00
Lucy Bell, Janitress salary	45.00
Curtis Bell, Janitor salary	50.00
Sam L. Fave, County Supt. Edu. (part salary)	99.22
Genevieve Garrett, Janitor salary	30.00
Mrs. Albert Heitzmann, Jr., Janitress (Webb School)	30.00
Mrs. W. C. Sick, Janitress salary (Taylor School)	15.00
August Taconi, Janitor Bay High School	130.00
Jewel J. Toal, Secretary to schools	100.00
Monti-Carver Plumbing Co., Labor and material	2.00
Merchants Insurance Agency, Insurance	329.50
Mauffray's Hardware Store, Supplies	18.87
Mrs. C. P. Bryan, Final Payt. as teacher	6.75
Mississippi Power Co., lights in schools	72.60
Southern Bell Tel. Co., Telephone Service	10.15
Lamar Life Ins. Co., Insurance, teachers	11.75

## WATER WORKS FUND

Louise M. Armstrong, salary	25.00
supplies	4.93
Mauffray Hardware Store, Material & Supplies	3.50
Scafield Brothers, gas and oil	7.60
Southern Bell Tel. Co., Telephone Service	4.25
Stauss and Haas, Material and supplies	70.76
W. A. McDonald & Sons, supplies	.90
Mississippi Power Co., lights	7.00
Bay Mercantile Co., Supplies	3.38

## POLICE &amp; FIREMEN FUND

Alcine E. Saucier, Chief	
Police, salary	125.00
Leon Capdepon, Police, salary	100.00
Curtis Ladner, Police salary (half month)	50.00



HAM HAMILTON

Ham Hamilton, nine year veteran guard with the House of David team which will be along side Steinecke, and is known as the best passer in the professional field. Ham is a six footer and can pass from all angles, is a good shot specializing in the coffin corner spot. He is the best defensive player on the squad and always takes the best player on the opposing team.

## Civil Service Examinations

Examinations are now open for probational appointment to the positions of Firefighter (Structural) and Firefighter (Crash) CPC-6, \$2469.24 and CPC-7, \$2694.96, for employment at Keesler Field, Mississippi, according to Mr. Louis P. Boudreaux, Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners for Keesler Field, Mississippi.

No written test is required. Applicants will be rated on the basis of their experience in the particular trade for which application is made. The age limits of 18 to 62 years will be waived for persons entitled to veterans preference. Further information and application forms may be secured from the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, Keesler Field, Mississippi, from any first or second-class post office within 35 miles of Biloxi, or from the Regional Director, Tenth U. S. Civil Service Region, customhouse, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Applications are to be filed with the Executive Secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners for Keesler Field, Mississippi not later than January 27, 1947.

Keep cows comfortable during the winter months by providing warm, well-bedded stalls, the Extension Service recommends.

Application of sulphuric acid to pine trees to stimulate the flow of gum has passed the experimental stage and is a sound commercial practice, the Extension reports.

## THE HANCOCK COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IS THE MEANS OF DEVELOPING HANCOCK COUNTY. JOIN IT TODAY.

Henry Marquar, Police, salary (half month)	50.00
Frank Dillman, salary, Fireman part time	60.00
Arthur Garcia, Salary Fireman	100.00
Gus Poydoux, Salary Fireman	100.00
W. A. McDonald & Sons, Material and supplies	1.78
Arceneaux Super Service, gas and oil	4.25
Southern Bell Tel. Co., Telephone Service	5.75
Southern Bell Tel. Co., Telephone Service	6.25
Mississippi Power Company, lights	12.96

## CEMETERY FUND

Alcine Ladner, Sexton's sal.	70.00
W. L. Bourgeois, Freight on material	1.34

## Schools To Take Part in March of Dimes Campaign

Jackson, Miss., January 11 (Special)—The annual March of Dimes is conducted during the month of January, coming to a close on January 31 in a nation-wide celebration of the birthday of the late President Roosevelt. The proceeds derived from this campaign are used to fight infantile paralysis. State Superintendent J. M. Tubb is calling this annual observance to the attention of all the school administrators in Mississippi in order that they may lend their efforts toward promoting this important matter in their own schools and communities.

The records show that the incidence of this disease in Mississippi has been heaviest during 1946 and that the facilities in the Police Unit in Jackson and the two hospitals in Vicksburg have been taxed very heavily to meet the emergency requirements. Three hundred and forty people have been reported as sufferers from Polio in Mississippi during 1946 and almost 35,000 people in the nation have suffered last year from this dreadful disease.

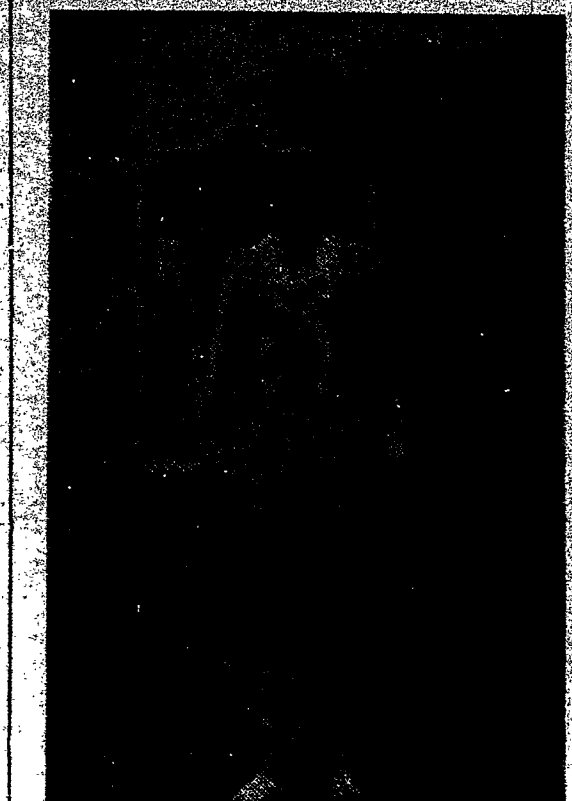
The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis fought valiantly during 1946 against the inroads of polio. Mr. Tubb urges that school leaders give their fullest cooperation in this campaign in order that the National Foundation may have maximum financial contributions from local units to handle whatever emergencies may arise in 1947.

## GAINESVILLE NEWS

Visitors here Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller, Mr. Doc Blackman, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Patch and daughter.

Mr. Arnold Carver is home for a few days.

The friends of Mrs. Rebecca Nelums Bennett were sorry to hear of her death. We extend our sympathy to the family.



BILL PUCKETT

Bill Puckett, Drum Major, who will lead the Columbia Band in parade through the main streets of Bay St. Louis this afternoon at four o'clock.

## SELLERS NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shaw announce the birth of a baby girl born in the Poplarville Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Ladner are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shaw.

Mr. J. S. Shaw made a business trip to Jackson.

Mrs. J. D. Ferguson has been sick for some time but is on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Florence Saucier has moved back in town and has taken over her business again.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Necaise announce the birth of a baby girl, born at the City Council Hospital in Gulfport, the second daughter and the fourth child born to them.

Sellers basketball teams will enter an invitational tournament to be held in Wiggins Saturday.

## THE METHODIST CHURCH

Corner Main and Second Streets  
REV. PHILIP E. PIERCE, Pastor

Sermon Topics for Sunday January 19th:

11:00 A. M.—"Physical Power"

7:30 A. M.—"The Fine Art of Using"

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The amount of money Paid Out to provide service is increasing faster than the amount Taken In. Actually telephone earnings today are the lowest in our history!

It is basic with any business that good service depends on reasonable earnings. To render good telephone service and to continually improve and expand it, reasonable telephone earnings are essential.

1 The amount of money Paid Out to provide telephone service is increasing faster than the amount Taken In.

2 Telephone earnings are the lowest in history.

3 Reasonable telephone earnings are essential to good telephone service.

Our public duty demands that we give you these facts.

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## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK

I, Robert L. Genin, trustee under the provisions and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in a deed of trust made by Harry L. Luc and Mrs. Harry L. Luc on the 11th day of July, 1944 to secure a certain indebtedness to the Merchants Bank & Trust Company, and which deed of trust is recorded in Book 38, pages 401 and 402 of Mortgage and Deed of Trust Record in the Chancery Clerk's Office of Hancock County, Mississippi: Which said note and said deed of trust has been assigned by said Bank to Leon B. Capdepon as appears on the margin of the record of said deed of trust as recorded as above shown and on the original note and deed of trust. That said Leon B. Capdepon under the authority of said deed of trust has substituted and appointed the undersigned, as trustee said appointment appearing of record in Book 41, page 359 of the Mortgage and Deed of Trust Record of Hancock County, Mississippi, and default having been made in the payment of said obligation and being directed by the holder of said note and owner of said deed of trust to foreclose the same, THEREFORE;

I will on  
MONDAY, THE 17TH DAY OF  
FEBRUARY, 1947

within legal hours at the front door of County Courthouse of Hancock County, Mississippi, in the City of Bay St. Louis, offer for sale and will at public outcry auction for cash sell to the highest and best bidder the following described land and all improvements thereon, to-wit:

The West 52 feet of Lot 165 of the Third Ward of the City of Bay St. Louis, Mississippi as per the present official map of said City made by E. S. Drake, C. E. and filed for record in the office of the Chancery Clerk of Hancock County, Mississippi on May 1, 1923.

This the 16 day of January, 1947.

ROBERT L. GENIN  
Trustee (Substituted)

Jan. 17, 24, 31 Feb. 7-14.



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#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration on the estate of Orion Hubert Campbell, Sr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 23rd day of December, 1946, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 23rd day of December, A. D. 1946.

MISS BETH CAMPBELL  
Administratrix of the Estate of Orion Hubert Campbell, Sr., Deceased.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters testamentary in the Estate of Mrs. Leontine Malley, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1946, and therefore notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 18th day of Dec., A. D. 1946.

MRS. GRACIE MALLEY HODE  
Executrix of the Estate of Mrs. Leontine Malley, Deceased.

#### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executors Notice to Creditors of Georgia Burton, Deceased.  
Letter testamentary having been granted on the 13th day of December, 1946 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned as Executor upon the Estate of Georgia Burton, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date or they will be forever barred.

This 18th day of December, 1946.

CORNELIUS BURTON  
Executor of the Estate of Georgia Burton, Deceased.

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## Veterans' News

The Veterans' Administration is training many doctors in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi in psychiatric work because of the national shortage of trained psychiatrists. Dr. Oscar E. Hubbard, chief of VA's Neuropsychiatric Division in the Dallas Branch Area, said.

About 4000 veterans are now in VA hospitals in the three States for treatment of neuropsychiatric troubles. It is anticipated that many thousands more will require treatment on an out-patient basis in the hygiene clinics VA is establishing in the Southwest.

William Bendix, the stage and screen star, is coming to the Southwest to visit patients in Veterans Administration hospitals. Roy E. Eury, VA's Special Services Director at Dallas, reports.

The actor is booked for visits to hospitals at Dallas, Amarillo, New Orleans and Jackson, Mississippi. He will be in the Dallas Branch Area from January 19 through January 28.

Women veterans, who are entitled to the same medical care as male veterans, in addition may receive treatment for non-service-connected disabilities from private physicians and in civil hospitals, VA reports.

VA estimates the potential load of women war veterans in the United States at 350,000. As of November 30, VA had only 1,339 women patients.

Veterans can speed up the service they receive from the Veterans Administration by taking care to identify themselves in their correspondence with that agency, Jefferson E. Kidd, Director of Contact and Administrative Services in the VA's branch office at Dallas, reports.

Kidd advised all veterans to give their full name and the identifying VA file number when writing to the VA about their insurance, pension claims or other GI benefits.

"If the veteran does not have his file number, he will get a more prompt reply from us if he gives his date of birth, his service serial number, his date of enlistment or discharge from the service or some other information to help us identify his file," the VA official said. "There are more than 1,000 John Smiths in the VA files of this area, so you can see how important it is that we have a man's middle name and as much other information as possible to help us identify him."

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS  
Q. Can I pay my National Service Life Insurance premiums at the Veterans Administration contact office?

A. No. Contact offices are not authorized to accept remittances for insurance premiums. Payments must be made to the branch office.

Question. Is a veteran of World War II entitled to emergency ambulance service to a VA hospital or other government hospital in which VA has been allocated, if the occasion arises?

A. Yes. When a veteran or his representative contacts a field station

Not responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Gladys Kacor Gore Drake.

12/27/46. HUGH A. DRAKE.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Louis Paul Caissac  
Letters of administration on the estate of Louis Paul Caissac, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 3rd day of January, 1947 and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate, to present and have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date and failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 3rd day of January, 1947.

MRS. JULIETTE CAISSAC.  
Executrix.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of administration on the estate of Robert C. Jordan, deceased, were granted to the undersigned by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, on the 6th day of January, 1947, and therefore, notice is hereby given requiring all persons having claims against said estate to have same probated and registered by the Clerk of said Court within six months from this date, and failure to do so will bar the claim.

This 6th day of January, A. D. 1947.

LOVINA H. JORDAN,  
Administratrix of the Estate of Robert C. Jordan, Deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Executrix Notice to Creditors of David R. Weston, Deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted on the 3rd day of December, 1946 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi to the undersigned as Executrix upon the Estate of David R. Weston, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

This 6th day of December, 1946.

MRS. PAULINE GOSSELLIN  
Executrix of the Estate of David R. Weston, Deceased.

## HELP OTHERS LIKE HIM



You help others like the youngster above when you give to Hancock County's March of Dimes Drive, January 15-30. Over 340 Mississippians were stricken with infantile Paralysis last year, among them being young Evans Lance Cook, of Lamar County, above. He was treated at the Mississippi Children's Hospital at Jackson. Help others like him by giving generously to our local March of Dimes Drive now.

GAS SHORTAGE SEEN FOR MISSISSIPPIANS  
Jackson, Miss., Jan. 11.—Mississippi's 75,000 families using up butane gas for heating have less than a week's supply on hand due to shortage of high pressure tank cars for its shipment to the 135 dealers, Peyton McKay, Jackson, president of the Dealers association, disclosed Saturday. He said dealers were out of the liquefied product.

Two representatives of the association are in Washington to contact officials of the office of temporary control seeking release of tank cars for shipment of the product into the state. They are W. H. Fincher of Lexington, and E. M. Yerger of Clarksville.

Mr. McKay said cars ordinarily used for butane gas shipments have been converted to hauling ammonia to manufacturers of fertilizer for "foreign countries." He said about 32 cars are standing idle near Monroe, La., despite efforts to secure them for the shipment of butane into Mississippi.

Dr. Leon D. Johnson  
Veterinarian  
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

A Lesson In Conservation

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Whenever you see or hear of an encroachment on our rights—whether it's the right to free speech, or the right to vote as we see fit, or the right to enjoy a friendly glass of beer in a licensed, law-abiding place... watch out!

Joe Marsh

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## ORTE THEATRE SUNDAY - MONDAY "UNDERCURRENT"

Starring Robert Taylor and Katherine Hepburn

Robert Taylor, who has been off the screen for two years fighting a war, has been romantically linked by M. G. M. in names with Katherine Hepburn for the big celebration for all Theatres Marquee.

"Undercurrent" with its suspense will hold your attention throughout the plot and the performances of Taylor will thrill you with his melodramatic acting. See this story which has for its subject matter, a strange sort of triangle affairs which conventionally unfolds its secrets.

## FLAT TOP NEWS

Miss Wilahmena Green from New Orleans spent the week end with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mitchell from Natchez, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Whitauer, Jr., from Pictyune spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smith.

Mr. Charlie Knight continues to be ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mabre Eccles.

Mrs. Nancy Martin, Mrs. Lumo Ladner and Mrs. John Slade from Gulfport were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Wheat, Sunday.

Friends of Mrs. C. P. Bryan will be glad to know that she had a safe voyage and after sailing from Ft. Hamilton, N. Y., December 17 on the Charles S. Stafford, a hospital ship, she landed in Bremerhaven, Dec. 28. Stayed on the ship until 2:30 of the 29th, then went by train to Augsburg. Accommodations were not to be had. She added that it was interesting to see the husbands lined up to meet them. Capt. C. P. Bryan was in excellent health. The group tried to have a good Christmas and decorated their part of the ship.

Hancock County Farm Products Yield \$1,049,349  
Hancock County farms for the year 1945 yielded \$1,049,349 in saleable products according to government census reports.

In a breakdown of figures, dairying accounted for almost half of the total with earnings of \$466,691. Livestock was second with \$77,297 and poultry was third with \$74,860.

It is interesting to note that several other counties barely beat Hancock. Forrest County had \$1,075,211; Harrison County, \$1,426,819; and Adams County \$1,583,402.

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Get famous, prescription-free 666 for super-speedy relief from colds, flu, fever, headache, sore throat, toothache, earache, sinusitis, etc. 666 Liquid Cold Preparation. Today! Use only as directed.

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when your meal needs a  
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USE POTATOES.  
SAVE MONEY AT THIS  
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## APPLES 2 lbs. 25c

L.A. SWEET FINE FLAVORED

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FLA. FANCY YOUNG TENDER

## SNAP BEANS 1b. 17½c

Crisp Tender

## CELERY

Pound 10c

Yellow Globe

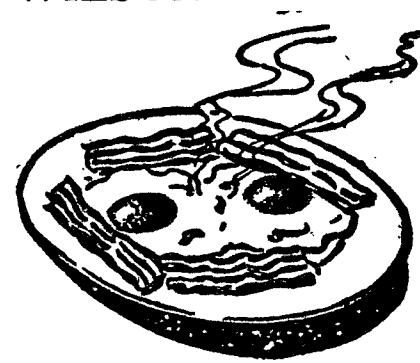
## ONIONS

3 lbs. 11c

Trimmed  
CABBAGE, 3 lbs. 10cSnowball  
CAULIFLOWER 1b 13cIceberg  
LETTUCE, 1b. 11cFancy White  
SQUASH, 1b. 10cFancy  
EGG PLANTS 2 for 25cRich Creamy  
AVACADOS, 1b. 37c

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Take advantage of the  
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Tender Beef

## LIVER

Lb. 49c

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## ROAST

Lb. 49c

Fresh Pan

## SAUSAGE

lb. 49c

Country Smoked

## SAUSAGE

Lb. 48c

American

## CHEESE

Lb. 59c

Sliced Spiced

## H A M

Lb. 59c

TENDERIZED PICNIC

## HAMS

1b. 45c

FANCY

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New York Red  
BEANS, 1 lb. pkg. 17cSnider's  
CATSUP, 14 oz. btl. 22c

GRITS, 2 lb. pkg. 20c

Welch Grape  
JELLY, 1 lb. jar. 26cGulf Kist  
YAMS, No. 2½ can 23cTasty King  
PEAS, No. 2 can 21cTeenie Weenie  
CORN, No. 2 can 18cFloriland Orange  
JUICE, No. 2 can 10cPALMOLIVE  
SOAP  
Large 14c  
Medium 10c

## FANCY ASSO. CAKE

### 1 Pkg. 46c

## MORE SUDS

Super Suds Large Pack 34c

# H.G. HILL STORES

WAVELAND — GULFPORT — BILOXI

## Waveland News

Mr. and Mrs. Norvin Penrose and children spent the week end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Peranich at DeLisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Kennedy, Sr., were over for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Gipson have as their guests Mr. Gipson's mother, Mrs. E. Gipson of New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Bourgeois, Misses Cecile, Margaret and Shirley Turcotte and Walter Turcotte motored to New Orleans to be present at the christening of her nephew, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Schwander.

Mr. Edward Carrio was over for the week end.

Mrs. Elwood Bourgeois spent a week with her mother, Mrs. Andrew Asher.

Mrs. Alphonse Favre, Jr., Mrs. Melvin Villere and Mrs. Louis Collier went to New Orleans to attend a miscellaneous shower given in honor of Miss Marilyn Mitchell, a bride-elect.

We are glad to report that Miss Emelda Chadwick is home from the Kings Daughters Hospital where she had her appendix removed, and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Bourgeois are the proud parents of a fine boy born on January 12th at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

Rev. Father John of New Orleans who recently purchased a home from the Simon Palanque Estate on Sears Avenue is making some extended repairs.

Chetta Parpora and Brown Real Estate Agents sold a number of lots in the Gulf Garden subdivision, over the week end.

Mr. E. E. Hooten who has been a patient in a hospital in New Orleans for treatment is reported to be on the road to recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rauch had as their guests over the week end their daughter Miss Elka Rauch and their son-in-law and daughter Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Miller and children.

A party was given on Sunday to celebrate Malvin "Butie" Wilson's third birthday. Games were played and refreshments served. "Butie" was delighted with the many gifts he received.

Among those enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Gipson, Mr. Buddy Dufour, Mr. R. G. Hubbard, Mrs. Mary Moran, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Ladner, Mrs. Chester Bourgeois, Mrs. Ennis Johnson, Mrs. "Emelda" Ross, Ronnie Bourgeois, Anna Mar Oliver, Bill, Bob and Richard Miles, Ennis and Charlotte Johnson, Bob Hubbard and sister, Alvin Ladner, Jr., J. L. Gonzales, Brother and Cathy DiMaria, Clemence, Felton, Raymond and Ellis Cuevas and Vital Jr., and Margaret Bourgeois. "Butie" is the grandson of Mayor and Mrs. Garfield Ladner.

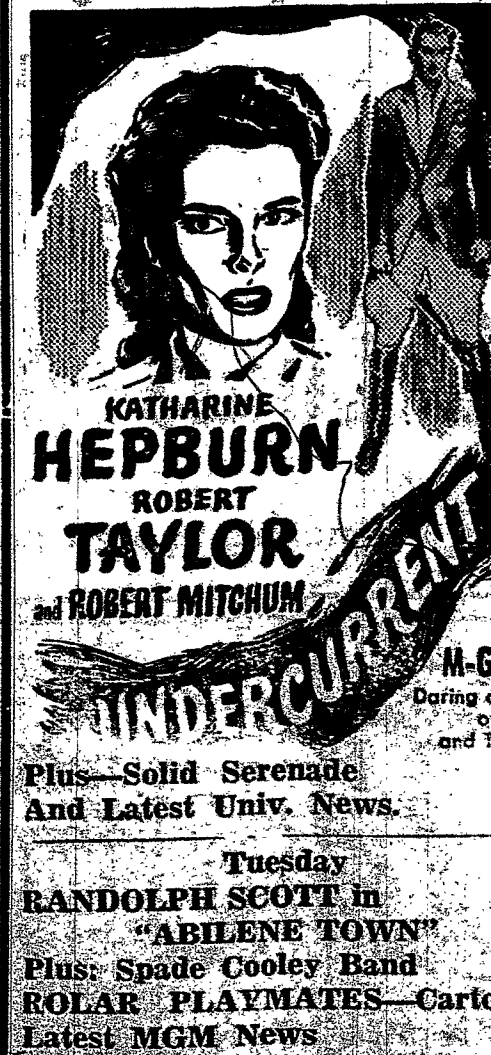
## ORTIE'S THEATRE

THEATER OPENS:  
Saturday-Sunday—2:45 P. M.  
Week Days—6:45 P. M.

Friday  
WARNER BAXTER in  
"JUST BEFORE THE DAWN"  
Also: 3 Stooges in  
"A BIRD IN THE HAND"  
Plus: Latest Univ. News.

Saturday  
"DOUBLE FEATURE"  
MARJORIE REYNOLDS in  
"THREE'S A FAMILY"  
Also: "Bar 20 Rides Again" Star-  
ring Hop Along Cassidy.  
Chapter 2 "Hop" Harrigan.

Sunday - Monday



Tuesday  
RANDOLPH SCOTT in  
"ABILENE TOWN"  
Plus: Spade Cooley Band  
ROLAR PLAYMATES—Cartoon  
Latest MGM News

Wednesday-Thursday  
"BARBARY COAST"  
MIRIAM HOPKINS  
EDWARD G. ROBINSON  
JOEL McCREA—BRIAN  
DONLEVY  
Plus Featurette—  
"Traffic With the Devil"  
Latest Fox News



DOROTHY SUMRALL

Dorothy Sumrall, Twirler, who will be seen strutting high and demonstrating a few tricks in the art of baton twirling, during the parade of the Columbia Band this afternoon in Bay St. Louis.

## LEETOWN NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baker of Detroit, Michigan arrived at Mr. and Mrs. John L. Baker's home Saturday where they will visit for the next few days.

Mr. Thomas Baker spent the day with the Baker family Sunday, many of their friends and old acquaintances coming in for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frances Lee had as guest for the week end a friend and his wife from Keesler Field.

Mr. Roger Lee and Mrs. Leo Lee are improving. They're expecting to be discharged from the hospital this week.

They're having quite a few interesting ball games this season at Leetown School. Several of the boys and girls will be tip-top players by the end of this term.

A large crowd attended ball games at Luna, Thursday night and Saturday.

## LAKESHORE NEWS

LAKESHORE  
Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Moran have returned from Fort Worth, Texas, after spending the holiday season in their home there.

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Courge and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Courge were Mr. and Mrs. Asa Little of New Orleans.

Mrs. May Green has been called to New Orleans due to the illness of her daughter Mrs. Bertie Loman who lives in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Johnfrue of Violet, La., spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Armand Garcia and family.

Mrs. Helen Erskine has been visiting Mrs. Anna Bell Fayard in Bay St. Louis.

Mrs. Cecil Bosarge and James Bosarge of Biloxi have been the guests of their relatives Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Bosarge and family.

## A. & G. THEATER

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Saturday and Sunday  
Doors open at 2:45 P. M.  
Picture Starts 3:00 P. M.  
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Picture Starts 7:00

ADULTS 35c

CHILDREN 10c

Thursday & Friday  
January 16-17  
BILL ELLIOTT  
VERA RALSTON in  
"PLAINSMAN AND THE  
LADY"  
Cartoon—News

Saturday, Jan. 18  
ALLAN LANE in  
"TRAIL OF KIT CARSON"  
"Son of Zorro" No. 5—Comedy

Sunday and Monday  
January 19-20



Tuesday & Wednesday  
January 21-22  
HENRY FONDA in  
"THE RETURN OF  
FRANK JAMES"  
Sports—Novelty

## January Clearance...

ON

● COATS

● SUITS

● DRESSES

● SPORTSWEAR

● SHOES

25% TO 50% REDUCTION

## ROSENBLUMS

### GULFPORT

YOUR IDEAL PLACE TO SHOP

## KILN NEWS

Rev. F. X. Toner, had as his guest last week his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Toner of Philadelphia, Pa., and his brother Rev. Raphael of Philadelphia, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Netto and little daughter spent the week end in Bay St. Louis, visiting relatives.

Barbara Ann Necaise, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Necaise passed away Thursday, January 9, 1947. Funeral services were conducted by Reimans Funeral Home in Gulfport, with Rev. Toner and Rev. Edmund officiating. Pallbearers were Agnes Stiglett, Jr. Moran, J. W. Stiglett and C. J. Necaise.

The Altar Society meeting was held at Rev. F. X. Toner's house Tuesday at 3:30 p. m. Due to the weather there was a small attendance.

Recent developments particularly in connection with DDT, have made insect pest control more effective and practical. Extension Service points out.

When walking along the road at night, wear something white or carry a light so motorists will see you easily, the Extension Service advises.

## FOR SALE

In Bay St. Louis, Miss.  
Modern 3 apartment house, 14 rooms and garages. Recently completely renovated, conveniently located. ½ block off Beach, 119 Union Street. Monthly income \$135.00. Priced to sell. For appointment call 289 Bay St. Louis. Near church, school and depot.

HENRY T. FAYARD, SR.  
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

## PEOPLES FEDERAL SAVINGS & LOAN ASSN.

Annual Statement—December 31st, 1946

## ASSETS

First Mortgage Loans and Other First Liens on Real Estate	\$188,678.19
Loans on Passbooks and Certificates	NONE
Other Loans	NONE
Properties Sold on Contract	NONE
Real Estate Owned and in Judgment	NONE
Investment Securities:	
a. Stock in F. H. L. B.	1,900.00
b. U. S. Gov't Obligations	53,270.00
Cash on Hand and in Banks	55,170.00
Office Building and Equipment, Less depreciation	7,463.45
Deferred Charges and Other Assets	150.00
	NONE
	\$251,461.64

## LIABILITIES

Members' Share Accounts	\$227,968.21
Shares Pledged on Mortgage Accounts	NONE
Advances from F. H. L. B.	NONE
Borrowed Money	NONE
Loans in process	871.00
Other Liabilities:	
a. Advance payments by borrowers for taxes & ins.	3,841.56
b. Unapplied Credits on Mortgage Loans	10.00
Specific reserves:	
Uncollected Interest	158.31
General reserves:	
a. Federal Ins.	6,895.19
b. Contingencies	7,710.09
Undivided Profits	14,605.28
	4,007.28
	\$251,461.64

I hereby certify this is a true and correct statement, to the best of my knowledge and belief, of the Assets and Liabilities of the Peoples Federal Savings and Loan Association as of the close of business Dec. 31st, 1946.

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### City Echoes

—C. D. Blair has returned from a business trip to Vicksburg.

—Mrs. C. C. Ferrell, Jr., is a visitor to Columbia this week.

—E. N. Spence left Tuesday for Pittsburg called there by the serious illness of his mother.

—Mrs. J. Thompson Wolfe is up again and out after a week in bed with cold and fever.

—Mrs. Leo Ford has returned from New Orleans where she spent a week.

—Miss Ethel Bilbo has returned from a few days visit to her parents at Kilm Miss.

—Mrs. Frank Clarke and Mrs. C. C. McDonald returned yesterday from a weeks business trip to Chicago.

—Miss B. Thompson of New Orleans, spent Saturday and Sunday here as the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Evans.

—Mr. Frank Merrick, of Lettsworth, La., spent the week end with Mr. H. L. Turnipseed.

—Mrs. John W. Jacobs who has been seriously ill at Hotel Dieu is reported as showing improvement.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Higgins spent the past week end at their summer home here.

—Mrs. W. R. Pitcairn, Livingston, New Jersey, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wm. R. Pitcairn.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bourgeois, Waveland, announce the birth of a son on January 9th at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith, of Pass Christian, announce the birth of a daughter on January 9th at the Kings Daughters Hospital.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Rogers and little daughter spent Tuesday in New Orleans.

—Miss Jane Nobles has returned to her home in Mobile after a weeks visit here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Favre.

—James A. Evans, Jr., spent the week end in New Orleans as the guest of relatives and incidentally taking in a few social affairs.

—Albert Heitzmann, Jr., continues ill at his home in Ballentine street. He has been confined to his bed for the past week.

—Rev. Barney Walker, Jackson, a Baptist Evangelist spent Monday here as a guest of his nephew Hubert B. Duckworth and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Richard Koch, Jr., and children have returned to New Orleans after a week's visit to Mrs. Koch's parents.

—Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ansley and children of New Orleans spent the past week end here as guests of Mr. Ansley's parents.

—Miss Gail Bourgeois spent the past week end in Ocean Springs where she was the house guest of Mrs. Margie Porter.

—The many friends of Brother Alexis were pleased to welcome him as a visitor to Bay St. Louis during the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Keith Creighton are at Cleveland, Ohio, on a business trip. Their son Keith is the guest of Louis Mogabgab during their absence.

—Miss Annie Lois May, County Home Demonstration Agent, spent the past week end at her home in Newton and reports her father much improved.

—Mr. J. M. Bishop, Hancock County Soil Conservation Supervisor, attended a district conservation meeting in Laurel on Monday and Tuesday.

—Miss Emelda Chadwick who underwent an appendix operation at the Kings Daughters Hospital last week has been moved to her home in Waveland and is continuing to improve.

—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lukenavich and daughter of New Orleans spent the Christmas holidays here with the latter's mother Mrs. Ethel Hava. Adrian Hava was also a guest of Mrs. Hava.

—It is pleasant to chronicle the fact that Mrs. John T. Dearing has sufficiently recovered to be up and out and that Miss Sallie Pearson is gaining ground and is able to sit up a little each day.

—The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Witter was baptized on Sunday, January 12 at 4 p. m. at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, the Rev. Father Desmond administering the Sacrament of baptism. She was given the name of Jo Ann and Miss Nancy Bell Murphy and F. E. Witter were the sponsors.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Thomas and baby left on Monday for Fort Worth, Texas, where they will be located for the present.

—Mrs. Lucas F. Pucheu, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. William Bertucci, Misses Amelia and Dorothy Bertucci and Clara Estelle Pucheu were visitors to New Orleans on Tuesday and spent the day shopping and visiting friends.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Kelleher of New York City have purchased the John Bryan home on North Beach and will make Bay St. Louis their home. Mr. Kelleher is vice president of the United Fruit Company.

—Mr. Jack Mallard, Mississippi State director of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, spent a few days this week conferring with Hubert Duckworth, coast representative for the company.

—Mrs. Lucas F. Pucheu, Sr., her daughter Clara Estelle Pucheu, Miss Dorothy Bertucci and Lucas F. Pucheu, Jr., spent last Thursday at Hattiesburg. They visited Mississippi Southern College and report a splendid trip and pleasant day.

—Mrs. Barbara Jackman, owner of Blue Hills Ranch at Malin, Oregon, has purchased the Siler home on Nicholson avenue for her son John H. Grafton for a summer home. Mr. Grafton has recently returned from overseas duty.

—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kiefer of St. Louis, Missouri, left this week for Bogalusa, after a visit here to Mr. Kiefer's mother Mrs. Frank Kiefer. They will visit Mrs. Kiefer's parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Speer at Bogalusa.

—Misses Jeanne Arceneaux and Betty Beyer spent last week end in New Orleans as the guests of friends. They visited Ursuline College with a view to enrolling there as students after their graduation from high school.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Otto of Allenton, Penn., announce the birth of a son William Otto, Jr. Mrs. Otto is the former Miss Margaret Ansley, daughter of Luther Ansley, Jr., and she spent a great part of her childhood here with her grandparents after the death of her mother.

—It is with deep regret that The Echo chronicles the illness of Mr. W. W. Stockstill who is a patient at the local Kings Daughters Hospital. Mr. Stockstill has many friends who are hoping for his early recovery. Reports from the hospital are very encouraging.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Austin, (nee Miss Beatrice Chincine) announce the birth of their first son, James Lee, Jr., on Thursday, January 9, at City County Hospital in Gulfport. The baby is the grandson of Mrs. M. Chincine. Congratulations are extended to this young couple.

—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Scaife was christened on Sunday, January 12 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church, the Rev. Father Dominic officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Alden Mauffray were the sponsors and the young man was given the name of John A. Scaife, Jr.

—Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Shipp left Sunday morning to visit Mrs. Shipp's seriously ill sister in Oxford. Dr. Shipp will return to Jackson Wednesday to meet with the Mississippi Commission on Hospital Care. He is a member of the Advisory Council to this commission.

—Rev. J. T. Dearing attended the meeting of the executive committee of the Gulf Coast Association which met on Monday at the First Baptist church at Gulfport. The objective of the meeting was the planning of the work for the associational Missionary of the Gulf Coast whose work begins here in February. Mr. A. B. Anderson who will serve the coast in that capacity comes from the pastorate of the Baptist church at Sunset, La.

—Mr. Joseph di Benedetto has been receiving congratulations on the occasion of his 75th birthday. Mr. di Benedetto lived years beyond the time allotted to man but he is still wearing a youthful face and an ever evident smile. Sunday evening several of his hunting and fishing friends surprised him by calling at his home and offering best wishes for the day. Congratulations are extended to Mr. di Benedetto.

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## "CRUSADE FOR CHRIST" PROGRAM

As part of a four-year "Crusade For Christ" Methodists of Hancock County are joining with eight million other Methodists throughout the United States in observing 1947 as a "Year of Stewardship." Rev. Philip E. Pierce, Pastor of the Bay St. Louis Methodist Church, stated today. In a sermon launching the program in the local Methodist Church last Sunday morning Rev. Pierce said that "Giving is a very important part of stewardship, but the recognition of God as sovereign owner of all things and ourselves as stewards (or managers) of the time, talents, energy and possessions He has placed at our disposal has implications in all phases of our lives."

As a part of the local program the entire Methodist membership has been requested to read Dr. Ralph Sockman's book, "The Fine Art of Using," and to attend the nearest "Stewardship Conversation Group" each Wednesday evening for ten weeks. Several copies of The Fine Art of Using have been placed on the shelves of the church library. The "Conversation Groups" met for the first time this week. They will continue for ten weeks under the following leadership:

502 North Bâch, Mrs. W. A. McDonald, hostess; Miss Florence Dixon, leader.

128 Leonard Avenue, Mrs. J. G. Hicks and Mrs. O. L. Bragg, hostesses; Dr. J. A. Evans, Discussion leader.

706 Hancock, Mrs. J. L. Henderson and Mrs. W. W. James, hostesses; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henderson, Discussion leaders.

121 Carroll Avenue, Mrs. T. T. Robin and Mrs. Rena White, hostesses; Mrs. T. T. Robin, Discussion leader.

213 State St., Mrs. A. J. Noto and Mrs. Horace Farr, hostesses; Mr. and Mrs. George Schilling, Discussion leaders.

—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mogabgab, Sr. and their son Louis spent last Sunday in Baton Rouge where they went for the christening of their little granddaughter, the baby of the Junior Mogabgab's. The baby was baptized at the Lutheran church at Baton Rouge and was given the name of Cynthia Jean Mogabgab. Miss Norma Ruth Norman and Louis Mogabgab were the sponsors. Brother Chasimir was the Magabgab's guest for dinner at Baton Rouge and spent most of the day with them.

## HOUSE OF DAVID BASKETBALL TEAM TO PLAY HERE JAN. 30TH

The famous House of David Basketball team will meet the team from Pearl River Junior College, of Poplarville, here on January 30th, at Bay High School Gym.

When the famous House of David basketball team plays here, local fans are in for the greatest basketball treat of the season.

The bearded Davids are recognized as the Worlds most colorful basketball team and certainly needs no introduction as their record stands for its self. With their beards, flowing in the breeze and their eyes cocked on the basket local fans who attend this game will laugh with glee and howl approval at the eccentric tricks and great basketball plays the bearded beauties will employ in order to win another game.

The David basketball line up will be studded with basketball stars, some former college greats and the others have proved their calibre in the Professional field. Heading the list will be Bill Steinecke basketballs greatest clown and long shot artist who has been with the House of David Basketball team for 12 years, joining them immediately upon his graduation from DePaul University, where he was captain and hailed as one of the schools best players of all time. Bill plays a guard position and will keep the fans in an uproar with his antics, such as dribbling and dancing at the same time, comical shooting and passing. Steinecke was a catcher in baseball for the New York Yankees last season and formerly was with both the Detroit Tigers and the Pittsburgh Pirates.

## Womans Missionary Society Holds First Meeting of 1947

The Womans Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church held its first 1947 meeting of the church on Thursday afternoon at the church with Mrs. Hubert Duckworth presiding in the absence of Mrs. T. B. Sellers.

A short business session was held and then the program was given over to Mrs. H. W. Arthur who addressed the group on "The Eternal Message for All People." This was followed by a study of the religions of the world and the great need of the world for God's Eternal Message.

## 75TH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATED

Mrs. John Henry Weston passed the 75th milestone on life's highway this month and took it in her usual sweet calm manner looking at life through eyes of love and faith—love for her God, her country, her fellowman; faith in the great believing that God's in His Heaven, All's right with the World.

With Mrs. Weston on her birthday were her children, and sisters.

—February 14 is St. Valentine's Day but it has another reason for being important on our calendar. That is the date of the Carnival Ball! You remember? This is Bay St. Louis' BIG NIGHT. Let's meet at St. Joseph's Hall at the convent at 8:30 for the committees say that the ball will open at 8:30 and they mean 8:30 p. m. Come early if you want a good seat. Be on time at 8:30 and see the queen (Do you know who she is?) as she enters. But the main issue is that you be there. Admission 50c.

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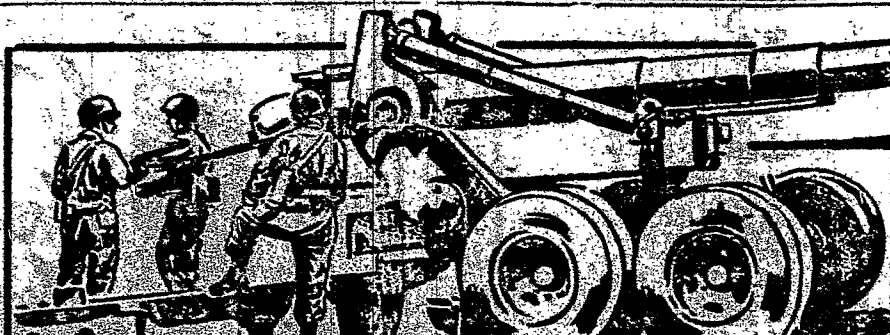
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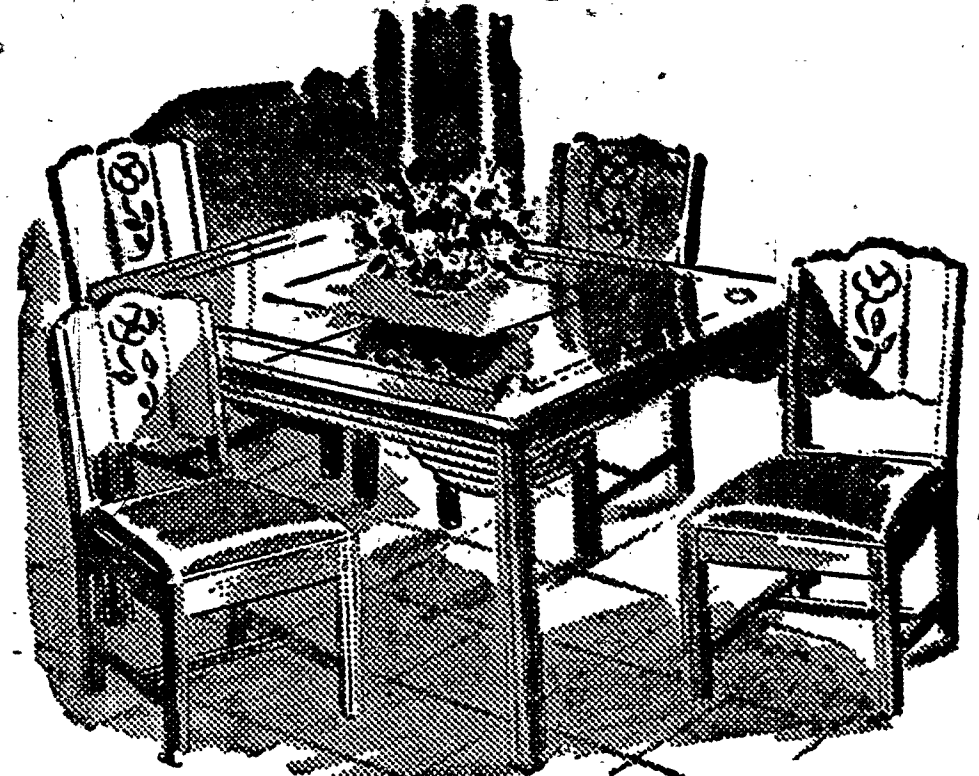
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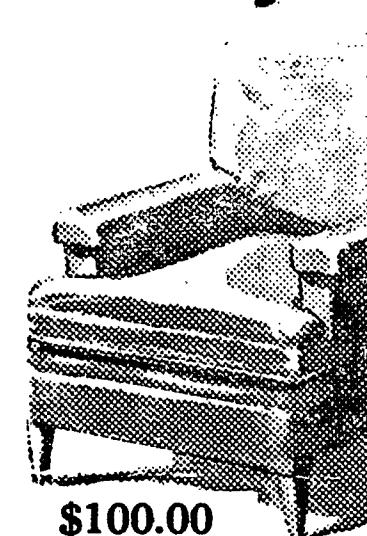
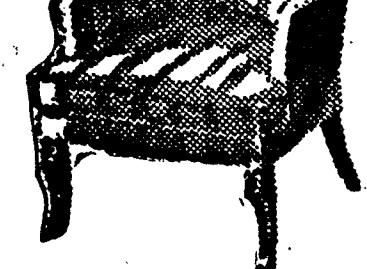
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## Gum Naval Stores Producers Lose Services of Specialist

Many gum producers who have recently obtained spray guns for applying acid will regret to learn that the Forest Service Specialist in this field is being assigned to other work. Mr. Lawrence S. Newcomb has been helling up his work for the Forest Service since April, 1946.

There is considerable additional assistance that producers need before they will understand the chemical stimulation technique and can adopt the practice. The demonstrations that Mr. Newcomb has held throughout the naval stores belt are just beginning to bear fruit. He also has worked diligently with manufacturers and distributors to have a satisfactory acid applying gun made available to producers.

It is indeed unfortunate that his assignment must be changed at this time. Lack of sufficient funds in the Forest Service appropriation for Private Forestry Cooperation makes such a ction necessary. It is hoped that the new Congress will see fit to increase this appropriation item and Mr. Newcomb can be reassigned to assist gum producers when the new fiscal year begins on July 1.

The treatment of naval stores faces with acid to prolong and increase the flow of gum is generally recognized as the greatest single improvement in gum naval stores woods practice since the cupping system was introduced at the turn of the century. It gives producers an opportunity to reduce the cost of production. Trees can be worked for a longer period. In the absence of Mr. Newcomb, the

Naval Stores Conservation Inspectors will assist producers to their greatest practical extent in learning the technique of using acid treatment.

Mr. Newcomb is being assigned to work with members of the Southeastern Forest Experiment Station engaged on the Naval Stores Mechanization Project. His past experience will be a valuable contribution to this project.

In his new assignment Mr. Newcomb will be able to spend part of his time on the problem of getting improved acid applying equipment manufactured and distributed.

Winter grazing is paying good dividends to many dairy farmers, the Agricultural Extension Service reports.

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